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Attorney Docket No. 03806-0505

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
 Marie-Francoise ROSIER-MONTUS et al.)
 Application No.: 09/846,456)
 Filed: May 2, 2001)
 For: REGULATORY NUCLEIC ACID FOR)
 THE ABC1 GENE, MOLECULES)
 MODIFYING ITS ACTIVITY AND)
 THERAPEUTIC USES)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

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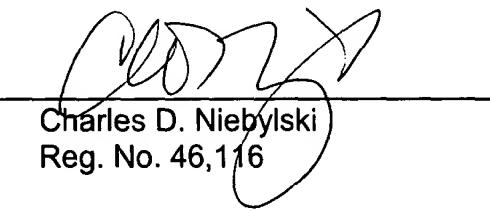
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time to file a Response to the Office Action mailed on November 19, 2002. A fee of \$410.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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